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It is one of the ironies of art that themes seemingly the richest often make the poorest plays. I prefer the play which Mr. Galsworthy has written. "The Mob" has a great theme. That theme is not the mob, not the ways, physiognomy, and psychology of mobs. The theme is conscience, fidelity to it in the face of the world and even to martyrdom. Yes, that is a great theme, but it has not inspired Mr. Galsworthy to write a great play. A man who holds that England is wrong, to undertake a war of aggression against a small people, and in order to tell her so, sacrifices office, his seat in Parliament, friend, his wife's love, and ultimately his own life, is a man of high character and courage. Such a man Mr. Galsworthy has imagined, but having imagined him, he has not succeeded in making him the protagonist of a real drama. Why? For one reason, we think the attitude of such a man is merely passive. He is always standing in the Johnnie-come-lately position, "like the monument," and monuments, however monumental, are not dramatic. The man's character does not develop, that is the very essence of the character, that it remains firmly and dogmatically and dutifully unchanged. To be the hero of a play always, to stand out for four acts, striking the same attitude, the attitude of suffering, suffering unflinchingly, with head "bloody but unbowed" is to see a virtually lifeless figure. There is a drama, poignant drama, in him, no doubt, as the struggles were in the boy in "The Boy in the Bush," but this remains inside; it never comes out. You are shown the man dead to the entreaties of his wife and friends; refusing to bargain with his constituents; refusing to "play the game" in short, you are shown the various external vicissitudes through which a man of that sort in that situation must pass. But these things are only external movement; the real drama is not in them. You might read about them in your newspaper; indeed, Mr. Galsworthy is so you the impression of throwing on to the stage, in fact, everything that he has been reading in the newspapers.

And then he seeks to colour and enrich his theme by effects that are, artistically, quite irrelevant. What have the woes of women whose "men" get killed "at the front" to do with a study of conscience? What have the various external vicissitudes through which a man of that sort in that situation must pass. But these things are only external movement; the real drama is not in them. You might read about them in your newspaper; indeed, Mr. Galsworthy is so you the impression of throwing on to the stage, in fact, everything that he has been reading in the newspapers.

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KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY.

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RETURN OF MR. ROOSEVELT.

SERIOUS ILLNESS.

A TERRIBLE JOURNEY.

New York, May 1. Mr. Roosevelt and his son Kermit, after exploring the wilds of Brazil, had a most perilous voyage to Manaus, which they leave to-day for New York, says the correspondent of the Daily Telegraph writing on May 1. One despatch says Mr. Roosevelt has fever, and his legs are so bad that he cannot stand for more than five minutes. He has not eaten for twenty-one days except eggs and tea.

The Governor of the State of Amazonas called on Mr. Roosevelt yesterday. After exchanging courtesies Mr. Roosevelt said that, as North America had made history for the nineteenth century, so Brazil would make history for the twentieth. He refused to discuss the Mexican war. In connection with his journey he said: "For forty-eight days I have practically been shut in deep ravines, with cliffs 1000 to 3000 ft. high. We only progressed half a kilometre daily, and saw no man during that time."

It was most fortunate that his fever attack occurred after this; otherwise he would never have been able to get through. Unable to catch any fish, and short of food, for thirty days the party existed on ship's biscuits, four being given daily to each man. For forty-eight days they never saw a human being. They lost five canoes out of seven in the rapids and cataracts, and had to build others.

George Cherry, the naturalist with the party, said that in thirty years of tropical experience he had never made such a trying expedition.

Mr. Anthony Fiala, the well-known Arctic explorer, who was in charge of one of Mr. Roosevelt's expeditions in Brazil, arrived at New York to-day from Rio de Janeiro. He was with Mr. Roosevelt for three months, and says that the Colonel's story of exploration and adventure will furnish one of the most thrilling chapters of modern times, reminiscent in some respects of Stanley's in darkest Africa.

It was not until to-day that Mr. Fiala knew that Mr. Roosevelt had emerged safely from the jungle, and said he had not expected to hear from the ex-President before the latter part of June. "I went out in advance," said Mr. Fiala, "while Mr. Roosevelt remained behind to attend to some personal engagements. When the Colonel finally joined the advance party we struck out across country with a 400-mile journey ahead of us. At first we were all at sea, and disoriented from our horses and mules and out with our knives through the dense undergrowth. The rainy season was on, too, and sometimes we would travel two days at a time without finding a dry spot big enough on which to camp. Sometimes at midnight the trees were so thick that it seemed midnight."

"When we reached Mato Grosso we rested a couple of days, and then we went hunting. In one party which went for tiger cats were Mr. Roosevelt, Kermit, a Brazilian 'colonel,' and several natives. Kermit, I believe, is made of cold wire all the way up. He is tougher than his father, if such a thing is possible, though."

THROUGH THE SWAMP. "The party started out early in the morning with nothing but coffee in their stomachs. They walked their way all day through swamps filled with crocodiles and snakes in pursuit of a tiger cat. The Brazilians did the best they could, and with negro boys kept up for several hours, but the pace set by the Colonel even in their own jungle was too much for them. Late at night a boy returned to camp and said the Colonel and Kermit were about two miles off in the jungle and trying to get out. When they finally did emerge their clothing was so torn and their arms and legs were bleeding in many places, but they were carrying the Brazilian guns and shoes. The Brazilians had quite a few things in their pockets in a dry place, and the tiger cat got away."

"The principal difficulty was not of food, and we all lost many pounds weight." Mr. Fiala considers that the greatest hazard in South American exploration is the malaria and fever, which he says is the most dangerous of all. "The result of this expedition," he thought, "amply justified the peril and fatigue undergone by the explorers."

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MORE RUBAIYAT.

Discovery of New Verses by Omar Khayyam.

Thirteen newly-discovered quatrains by Omar Khayyam have been presented to the American Oriental Society by Professor Abraham Yohannan, of Columbia University. The verses, all of which were unknown to Edward FitzGerald when he translated the Rubaiyat, were found in an ancient illuminated manuscript purchased a year ago from a Persian nobleman by Dr. Hagob Kevorkian, a wealthy Persian archaeologist, who wished to add the manuscript to his collection in his Fifth Avenue residence.

The latter discovered Omar's verses afterward in the manuscript, and took them to Professor Yohannan, who, after a long examination, pronounced them genuine. There are two duplicates, among the thirteen, of verses previously found, but all the others are now made known for the first time. It is believed that they date back to 1040, and are the oldest of all Khayyam's compositions.

The "New York Evening Times" prints the quatrains done into English verse by Miss Joyce Kilmer. The following are four of them:

And wherefore, then, should you and I be sad?
Because to life no minute we can add?
This is true wisdom, as it seems to me,
Grief will not change the world, therefore be glad.

Not always shall this convent wall us in,
So cease to preach that wine and love are sin,
How long shall old creeds foster us or grieve?
When I am gone, then let this mad world rave!

Out of the dark has been our journeying;
Life is a bead for no one knows what string!
It is the darkness in man's soul that speaks,
The light remains a secret, silent thing.

So drink! For this blue sullen vault of sky
Hides our white souls and waits to watch us die.
Rest on the soft green grass my love,
We shall be dust together, you and I.

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HOME RACING.

THE DERBY.

The Favorite Not Placed.

LONDON, May 27.

In glorious cool weather a multitude of people are making Epsomwards to witness the race for the Derby Stakes (6,500 sovs.) for entire colts and fillies foaled in 1911; colts 9st., fillies 8st. 5lb.; second 400 sovs., third 200 sovs.; about one mile and a half, 382 entries.

The Result.

Mr. H. B. Duryea's Durbar II (Mares) 1
Mr. H. Cholmondeley's Hapburg (Foy) 2
Mr. H. J. King's Peter the Hermit (Watson) 3
Lord Derby's Dan Russell (Rickaby) 4

Also ran: Brakespear, H. Jones, Kennymore, O'Neill, Black Jester, Stern, Evandale, W. Hawley, Car. E. Templeman, Courgeous, F. Bullock, My Prince, Earl, Cupidon, Henry, Oreb, Wing, Ambassador, Saxby, Lania, Walter Griggs, Saint Guthrie, Whalley, Flying Orb, Spear, Marten, Wheatley, Carancho, Donoghoe, Polygar, William Griggs, Carval, Harbert, Conqueror, B. Stokes, Magyar, E. Huxley, Polygamist, Es. cott, Shepherd King, Jellies, Anglesey Howitt, Best Boy, Randall, Southern-down Piper, Woodwild, Smyth, and Diamond's Song, Robbins.

Won by three lengths. One length and a half between second and third. Two betting on the placed horses was 2 to 1, 3 to 1, and 100 to 1.

Place betting was 7 to 1, Hapburg others proportionate odds (quarter of winning odds).

The Race.

Kennymore, the favorite at 9 to 4, drew the extreme outside position. He delayed the start and got away badly. Polygar made the running from Black Jester, Hapburg and Durbar II. Hapburg took up the running on the rails, followed by Black Jester, Hapburg, Dan Russell, Peter the Hermit, and My Prince; and won easily. Dan Russell was fourth. The time was 2mrs. 38.2/5secs.

A Late Decision.

Peter the Hermit was not named on any list of probable starters. The first knowledge of the horse running came by telegram from Epsom this afternoon. His name was not on any race card.

Their Majesties Present.

Their Majesties, on arriving at Epsom, received a notable ovation from what was probably a record concourse of people on the downs. There was a great muster of Royalty and members of society. The gathering of mobsters made a wonderful show.

No Suffragettes.

There was no suffragette disturbance.

[Durbar II, a bay colt by Rabalais—Armenia, did not run once last year as a two-year-old, according to Ruffe Guide; but something must have been known about him or he would have been at longer odds than 20 to 1. He was entered for the Two Thousand Guineas, but did not start, consequently his signal victory in this year's Derby is his first appearance on the Home turf. He has no further engagements this year, so we shall not see him meet the "cracks" again in the St. Leger at Doncaster on September 9.

Hapburg is a brown colt by Desmond—Altess. He was successful three times out of four attempts last year. He has a number of engagements this season, including the St. Leger. He ran fourth in the Two Thousand Guineas.

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Last year's result was A'oyeur, Louvain, Great Sport (after Chagour coming in first but being disqualified) and previous winners since 1904 have been St. Amant (5 to 1), Cicero (4 to 1), Spearmin (6 to 1), Orby (100 to 1), Signorinetta (100 to 1), Minora (7 to 1), Lanaher (7 to 1), Sunstar (13 to 1), Taglio (100 to 1)—Ed.]

HOME CRICKET.

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M.C.C. beat Hampshire at Lords by 73 runs.

Middlesex beat Essex at Leyton by an innings and 56 runs.

Derbyshire beat North at Chester, 50 to 10 runs.

Leicestershire draw with Worcestershire at Worcester.

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Furrey beat Yorkshire at Bradford by 28 runs.

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E. GORDON LOWDER,
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Hepkeng, May 28, 1914. 681

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FROM SHANGHAI, KOREA AND MOJI.
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PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA & NEW ZEALAND VIA THURSDAY ISLAND.
Per *Liangchow*, at 9 a.m., on Friday, the 28th inst.
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FORMOSA, NORTH CHINA, SHANGHAI, NORTH CHINA, JAPAN VIA MOJI.
Per *Liangchow*, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the 2nd June.
SAIGON, STRAITS, CEYLON, ADELAIDE, WESTERN AUSTRALIA, INDIA, AFRICA, EGYPT & EUROPE VIA MARSEILLE.
Per *Liangchow*, on Tuesday, the 2nd June.
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ECZEMA CAUSED HAIR TO COME OUT

Thick Rash with Intense Irritation. Great Pain, Itching and Burning. Sleep Almost Impossible. Cured by Cuticura Soap and Ointment.

10, Dover Maidland, Canterbury Rd., Briston, S. W. Eng.—I derived great benefit from the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I suffered with eczema on the back of the neck and head, causing my hair to come out very much. There was a thick rash with intense irritation, both of which increased as time went on causing great pain, itching, burning and discomfort, making sleep almost impossible night or day. I first tried ——— which, though cooling, did no real good. I then saw the advertisement of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and wrote for a sample to be sent. I purchased a large box of Cuticura Soap and some Cuticura Ointment and used them regularly at night, bathing the affected parts with the Cuticura Soap and hot water, and then gently applying the Cuticura Ointment with the tip of the finger, and in the morning again washing with the Cuticura Soap and hot water. The itching lasted about three months and was quite cured after using the Cuticura Soap and Ointment six weeks, and my hair has ceased to come out. (Signed) Mrs. Fanny Woodbridge, July 24, 1912.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. A single set is often sufficient. Sample of each with 25¢ book free from nearest dealer. For New York & Boston, 27, Charterhouse St., London, E. C. 3. For Toronto, 27, St. James St. W. For Montreal, 27, St. James St. W. For Chicago, 27, St. James St. W. For San Francisco, 27, St. James St. W. For Hongkong, 27, St. James St. W. For Shanghai, 27, St. James St. W. For Yokohama, 27, St. James St. W. For Kobe, 27, St. James St. W. For Manila, 27, St. James St. W. For Cebu, 27, St. James St. W. For Batavia, 27, St. James St. W. For Singapore, 27, St. James St. W. For Hongkong, 27, St. James St. W. For Shanghai, 27, St. James St. W. For Yokohama, 27, St. James St. W. For Kobe, 27, St. James St. W. For Manila, 27, St. James St. W. For Cebu, 27, St. James St. W. For Batavia, 27, St. James St. W. For Singapore, 27, St. James St. W. For Hongkong, 27, St. James St. W. For Shanghai, 27, St. James St. W. For Yokohama, 27, St. James St. W. For Kobe, 27, St. James St. W. For Manila, 27, St. James St. W. For Cebu, 27, St. James St. W. For Batavia, 27, St. James St. W. For Singapore, 27, St. James St. W. For Hongkong, 27, St. James St. W. For Shanghai, 27, St. James St. W. For Yokohama, 27, St. James St. W. For Kobe, 27, St. James St. W. For Manila, 27, St. James St. W. For Cebu, 27, St. James St. W. For Batavia, 27, St. James St. W. For Singapore, 27, St. James St. W. For Hongkong, 27, St. James St. W. For Shanghai, 27, St. James St. W. For Yokohama, 27, St. James St. W. For Kobe, 27, St. James St. W. For Manila, 27, St. James St. W. For Cebu, 27, St. James St. W. For Batavia, 27, St. James St. W. For Singapore, 27, St. James St. W. For Hongkong, 27, St. James St. W. For Shanghai, 27, St. James St. W. For Yokohama, 27, St. James St. W. For Kobe, 27, St. James St. W. For Manila, 27, St. James St. W. For Cebu, 27, St. James St. W. For Batavia, 27, St. James St. W. For Singapore, 27, St. James St. W. For Hongkong, 27, St. James St. W. For Shanghai, 27, St. James St. W. For